

### **SC Annual School Report Card Summary**

Lake City College Prep Academy

**SC Public Charter** 

Grades: K-11 **Enrollment: 191** 

Principal: Dr. Deloris Brown

Superintendent: Wayne Brazell, Ph. D.

**Board Chair: Don McLaurin** 

#### **PERFORMANCE**

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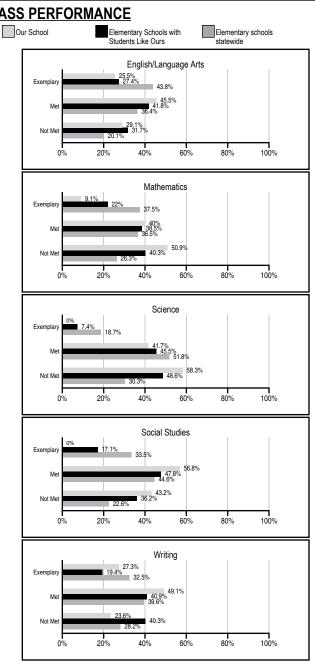
| YEAR | ABSOLUTE RATING | GROWTH RATING | PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD |                 | ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM |                          |
|------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
|      |                 |               | General Performance            | Closing the Gap | ESEA Grade                                | Accountability Indicator |
| 2013 | Below Average   | Excellent     | TBD                            | TBD             | В   | Priority                 |
| 2012 | At-Risk         | At-Risk       | N/A                            | N/A             | F   | Priority                 |
| 2011 | At-Risk         | Below Average | N/A                            | N/A             | Not Met                                   | N/A                      |

#### **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 0         | 10   | 89      | 43            | 15      |

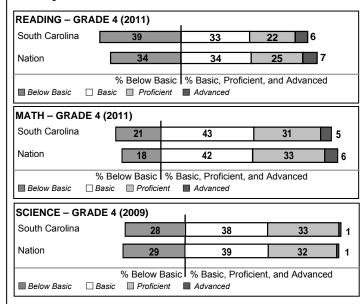
<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverly Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

#### PASS PERFORMANCE



#### **NAEP PERFORMANCE\***

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



#### **SC PERFORMANCE VISION**

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

# Lake City College Prep Academy [SC Public Charter] SCHOOL PROFILE

|  | Our School | Change from Last Year | Elementary<br>Schools with<br>Students Like<br>Ours | Median<br>Elementary<br>School |
|--|------------|-----------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Students (n=191)   |            |                       |   |                                |
| Retention rate   | 1.1%       | Up from 0.0%          | 1.1%  | 0.9%                           |
| Attendance rate  | 94.1%      | Down from 94.2%       | 96.0%   | 96.3%                          |
| Served by gifted and talented program  | 0.0%       | N/A                   | 2.6%  | 7.2%                           |
| With disabilities  | 22.9%      | N/A                   | 13.4%   | 12.4%                          |
| Older than usual for grade   | 7.8%       | N/A                   | 3.0%  | 1.9%                           |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | 0.5%       | Down from 1.0%        | 0.0%  | 0.0%                           |
| Teachers (n=18)  |            |                       |   |                                |
| Teachers with advanced degrees   | 27.8%      | Down from 35.0%       | 60.0%   | 62.5%                          |
| Continuing contract teachers   | 44.4%      | Down from 50.0%       | 75.0%   | 83.3%                          |
| Teachers returning from previous year  | N/A        | N/A                   | 84.6%   | 88.3%                          |
| Teacher attendance rate  | 99.2%      | No Change             | 94.9%   | 95.0%                          |
| Average teacher salary*  | \$32,400   | Up 2.4%               | \$46,049  | \$48,193                       |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers                              | 28.4%      | Up from 17.4%         | 0.0%  | 0.0%                           |
| Professional development days/teacher  | 1.3 days   | Up from 1.1 days      | 10.4 days   | 11.0 days                      |
| School   |            |                       |   |                                |
| Principal's years at school  | 4.0        | Up from 3.0           | 3.3   | 4.0                            |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects                                       | 15.4 to 1  | Up from 14.3 to 1     | 17.8 to 1   | 20.1 to 1                      |
| Prime instructional time   | 93.2%      | Up from 93.1%         | 89.6%   | 90.0%                          |
| Opportunities in the arts  | Excellent  | No Change             | Good  | Good                           |
| SACS accreditation   | No         | No Change             | Yes   | Yes                            |
| Parents attending conferences  | 100.0%     | Up from 98.4%         | 100.0%  | 100.0%                         |
| Character development program  | Excellent  | No Change             | Excellent   | Excellent                      |
| Dollars spent per pupil**  | \$11,607   | Up 32.0%              | \$8,301   | \$7,364                        |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction**                                    | 46.0%      | Down from 60.0%       | 66.0%   | 68.0%                          |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**                               | 40.0%      | Down from 45.8%       | 64.0%   | 66.0%                          |
| ESEA composite index score   | 80.0       | Up from 28.3          | 69.5  | 88.0                           |

<sup>\*</sup> Length of contract = 185+ days.

#### **EVALUATION RESULTS**

|  | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
| Number of surveys returned                             | 6        | 43        | 15       |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment            | 100%     | 69.7%     | 100%     |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 100%     | 62.8%     | 93.3%    |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations           | 83.3%    | 81.4%     | 81.3%    |

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

LCCPA utilizes a research-based artistic model in conjunction with the academic curriculum to address the needs of the whole child. The school provides strong character development lessons for both students and their parents/guardians through our family University series. Through our Family University we offer classes that give parents an opportunity to learn how to help their children with academic needs in all core areas. One example includes our Reading and Math Parent Conference and our Parent Student Northeastern and Southeastern College Tours. We also provide students with standardized lessons in core curriculum courses such as math, science, social studies, and English using the arts to motivate students to complete the assignments. Because we cater to the whole child, each student has an opportunity to receive free tutoring during our extended school day.

Additionally, students at LCCPA also participate in a variety of Artistic classes like: Band, Chorus, Dance, and Theatre and Visual Arts. To this end, each student actively prepares for a minimum of two through four major artistic performances. These artistic preparations allow students to utilize a variety of academic skills that correlate to their artistic classes. These academically supportive assignments in artistic classes include reading scripts in theatre arts; reading or singing lyrics that use specific rhythms and patterns in English or a foreign language, and learning how to use geometry, geography skills and fractions that relate to math (1/2 note, quarter notes etc.), social studies. Some other accomplishments and opportunities include:

- Honors Classes- Advancement Via Individual Determination (A.V.I.D.) Program)
- · Opportunities to participate in all sports
- Computer Repair Classes
- Band, Chorus, Dance, Theatre, and Visual Arts Classes Performances
- 2013 National History Day State Champions
- 2nd Place Sandhills Regional Science Fair Winners

At LCCPA we realize that some students need additional supports in the form of more time on tasks. Theses supports were incorporated in the extended school day program which begins at 8:00AM and ends at 4PM. Also, during this time students receive additional supports in the form of small group individualized tutoring and intervention classes titled Performing at Higher Levels Systematically (PALS). These built in classes take place at the end of the day to assist students by giving teachers additional time to review strategies and skills that may take longer for students to learn, or for test prep practice. Advance students use this time to extend their knowledge and practice in a specific artistic course that the student selects.

Dr. Deloris Brown, Principal Ms. Kristen McCrea, Family University Coordinator

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available.